

REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

Applicant hereby elects the claims of Group I for further examination, namely claims 1 to 46.

In view of the foregoing, early favorable consideration of this application is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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